



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Makoto HIRANO et al.

Group Art Unit: 1792

Application No.: 10/570,156

Examiner: N. FORD

Filed: March 27, 2006

Docket No.: 127194

For: SUBSTRATE TREATMENT EQUIPMENT AND MANUFACTURING METHOD OF
SUBSTRATE

AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the January 12, 2009 Office Action and the March 25, 2009 Personal
Interview, and in consideration of the attached Request for Continued Examination, please
consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.